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**In RE:** Application of Harald STRIEGLER  
**Ser. No.:** 10/664,120  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION  
AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks,  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated December 13, 2005, please  
make the following changes and consider the following REMARKS under 37

C.F.R. 1.116: